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TAGS: PINT, ELAB, PE, OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A)

SUBJECT: LABOR RALLY POSTPONED TO FEBRUARY 25

REF: LIMA 1271

1. THE UNIFYING COUNCIL OF LABOR ORGANIZATIONS HELD PRESS CONFERENCE FEBRUARY 10 AND ANNOUNCED THAT, FOLLOWING DISCUSSIONS WITH LIMA PREFECT, LABOR RALLY ORIGINALLY SCHEDULED FOR FEBRUARY 18 WOULD BE POSTPONED TO FEBRUARY 25. UNIONS DECLARED THAT OFFICIAL AUTHORIZATION FOR THE 25TH IS TAKEN FOR GRANTED

2. THE ORGANIZING GROUP CLAIMS OVER 500,000 WORKERS WILL GATHER ON THE 25TH IN A WORKING DISTRICT PLAZA (NOT CENTER CITY PLAZA AS ORIGINALLY PLANNED) TO SUPPORT LABOR DEMANDS FOR CHANGE IN GOVERNMENT ECONOMIC AND LABOR POLICIES. ORGANIZERS OF RALLY INCLUDE COMMUNIST CGTP, GOVERNMENT-ALLIED (BUT NOT FULLY DISCIPLINED) LIMA AREA CTRP, CHRISTIAN DEMOCRAT CNT, FISHERMEN, AND COMMUNIST-ASSOCIATED PRINTERS, BANK AND COMMERCIAL WORKERS. OTHER ORGANIZATIONS INCLUDING MOST IMPORTANT UNIONS OF APRA-ORIENTED CTP ARE BEING URGED TO JOIN IN LABOR UNITY DEMONSTRATION.

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3. FONMIN DE LA FLOR AND OTHER GOP OFFICIALS ASSURED AMBASSADOR

THAT RALLY WOULD NOT BE PERMITTED TO COINCIDE WITH FEBRUARY 18  
VISIT OF THE SECRETARY. GOP DECISION WAS PASSED TO UNIONS THROUGH  
LIMA PREFECT.

4. FEBRUARY 10 COUNCIL OF MINISTERS MEETING APPARENTLY DIS-  
CUSSED OTHER IMPLICATIONS OF RALLY AND THIS LATEST THRUST  
TOWARD LABOR UNITY. GOP IS REPORTEDLY WORRIED THAT UNIFYING COUNCIL  
WILL ATTEMPT PARALLEL GOVERNMENT'S OWN FRONT FOR THE DEFENSE OF  
THE REVOLUTION. ADVISOR TO PRIME MINISTER FERNANDEZ MALDONADO  
TOLD EMBOFF THAT PRESIDENT MORALES BERMUDEZ WOULD BE URGED TO  
FEND OFF EFFORTS OF LABOR GROUP TO SECURE PRESIDENTIAL AUDIENCE.  
SECTORIZED PRESS WOULD ALSO BE INSTRUCTED TO IGNORE THIS  
ORGANIZATION(ALL EXCEPT EXPRESO NOW DOING SO).  
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